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N°. 2722.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1890.

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Banks.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1.—THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong. Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, to to 1: SATURDAYC, to to to 2.—SUMS LESS THAN \$1, or MOPE THAN \$250 at one time will not be received. No Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

in any one year. .-DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONG-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for" 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. 4.-INTEREST at the rate of 31 % per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily halances:

5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a PASS-BOOK, which must be presented each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January, and beginning of July.

6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7. - WITHDRAWALS may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book, are necessary. FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1890.

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Hongkong, 13th August, 1890.

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" MENMUIR." Captain Craig, will be despatched for the above Ports, on MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at

Hongkong, 11th December, 1800.

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY, (Calling at Colombo if sufficient inducement

Captain C. D. Sams, R.N.R., will leave for the

above places, on TUESDAY, the 23rd lustant, at Noon, and not as previously advertised. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong, 19th December, 1890.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Captain F. H. Seymour, will leave for the above

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Hongkong, 15th December, 1890. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILWAY COMPANIES. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1890,

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ARYSSINIA	SUNDAY	Dec. 21st.
PARTHIA	TUESDAY	Dec. 30th.
BATAVIA	SUNDAY	Jan. 25th.

"ABYSSINIA," Captain Williamson, R.N.R., sailing at Noon

THE Steamship

on SUNDAY, the 21st December, will proceed to VANCOUVER, via INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA. RATES OF PASSAGE.

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Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European application. officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government efficials. Return Tickets .- First and second class only. -Prepaid return tickets to Pacific Coast Points, and to Eastern and Interior Points of Canada

and U.S.A. will be granted, available for :-6 months at 25 per cent, off Return Fare. (Time is reckoned from the date of landing to date of re-embarkation at Vancouver.) Passengers to Pacific Coast Points and to Interior and Eastern Points of Canada and U.S.A not holding prepaid return tickets but who re-

embark within 12 months from date of landing at Vancouver will be allowed to per cent. of the return fare. Prepaid return tickets to European points will be issued available for 12 months at double

fares (Mexican Dollars.) CARGO.—Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan. Pacific Coast | Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Involces of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. BROWN, Assistant General

Freight and Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Vancouver, B. C. Parcels must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day previous to salling. For further information as to Passage or

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PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON : BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND

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Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M.; Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 P.M., on the day before salling.
Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo | General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by

on THURSDAY, the 25th inst., at NOON.

the ordinary direct route vil Colombo.

Tea will be sent either via Bombay or Colombo, according to arrangement. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hong-

The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for

> E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

Mails.

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N SUNDAY, the 21st day of December, 1800, at II A.M., the Company's Steamship "SACHSEN." Captain K. V. Gössel, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIER CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until a p.m., on 20th December, (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.

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at I P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for -Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Pills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States via Overland Rallways, to Havana, Trinidad: in i Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines, of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco......\$225.00 To San Francisco and return, } available for 6 months.....

Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military. Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific

To London 332.00

rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers

To other European Points at proportionate

and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-cmbarking at San Francisco for China er Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent, from Return Fare. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Tapan to Burope.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Fackages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full ; value of same is required. Consular Involces to accompany Cargo des-

tined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company,

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Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule..... 19 Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Scal Capsule Superior · Old Pale choice old wine.

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, DECEMBER. 19, 18 x.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

December. Informs us that the Company's steamer Verona

left Nagasaki for this port at 5 p.m. yesterday. We are requested to state that his Exceller cy the Acting Governor will receive visiters at Government House to-morrow afternoon.

MESSRS. Adamson, Bell & Co., agents for the Canadian-Pacific Line, inform us that the steamship Batavia arrived at Vancouver on the 17th

THE recent duels in France have brought out an appeal from Jules Simon, who calls upon his countrymen to abandon the absurd custom of

THE supposed horsehair that hangs from dragoons' helmets is grown on Chinamen's heads, appears. We mention this fact in justice to the noble animal.

"WE made a big mistake, Adam," said Eve, after they had settled outside of the garden. "How, dear?" "We should have inslated upon having that matter arbitrated !"

IT is understood that there are a hundred girls to each man employed in the gunpower and cartridge-factory at Footscray, Melbourne. This sounds rather embarrassing for the odd men.

A COMPANY is being formed to establish restaurants for the sale of horse-flesh dishes in the East End of London, on a similar plan to those which are running in Berlin and Paris.

THE Hon. Sec. of the Cricket Club informs us that there will be a "pick up" match to-morrow, commencing at 11.30 s.m. sharp. Members who intend playing should be on the ground punctually.

TE invite attention to the following old As will be seen from an advertisement in an-VV lauded Brands, all of which are of ex- other column, the meeting of the shareholders in the Green Island Cement. Coy, which was called for to-morrow, has been postponed until

> the members (male and female) being cleanshaved. A congregation without a single hair on its aggregate head must be a more surprising spectacle, than that which adorns the stalls of a leg-show theatre.

BARONESS de Ros, who has just completed her 95th year, was a beautiful girl of 20 when she danced at the historic ball given at Brussels on the eye of Waterloo, June 17th, 1815, by her father, the Duke of Richmond, Two of her sisters still survive-one, age 1 87, the other 82.

A GEORGIA clergyman named M'Cu'cheon was arraigned for wife-beating before the Bip'ist ministers conference in Atlanta, His brethren solemnly resolved that they disapproved of his beating his wife, but that they retain confidence in his Christian character. Halle'ujahi

A BULLOCK fell from a cattle train on the Sandhurst, Vic. line the other day, and escaped with out injury. The animal followed up its luck by charging the engine of a goods train, by which time Providence had become tired of saving a bullock from an unnatural death, and the usua consequences resulted.

AT the meeting of the Legislative Council which is to be held to-morrow morning the following addendum will be included in the orders of the day: "-Third reading of the Bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for, and regulate a Pension Fund for widows and children of Public Officer; of the Colony."

A PORTUGUESE assistant bailiff of Her Britannic Majesty's Supreme Court in the Colony is said to be in Very Queer Street. He was sent to collect'a few dollars lately by virtue of a writ and has not since made his appearance at the Hall of Foulty. Are we to have another Jorquim Xavier affair? It looks like it...

CAPTAIN Anstruther Thomson, Kintore's aide, to Governors for billets on the staff.

THERE is a certain amount of placid happiness In being adeserted infant in Britain, and living on the generous soul of the British matron, For instance, a workhouse matron at Westbury-on-Severn has lately been "raprimanded" for throwing fourteen buckets of cold water over a little girl, and then hitting her with the bucket.

THE fire that occurred at the Customs station at Capsulmun on the 10th instant is said to have originated in the cook-house of a gambling hell situated at the rear of the revenue officen quarters. It is probable that a respectable brick stone and mortar edifice, will replace the conglomeration of mud walls and bamboo matting which has hitherto served the purpose of a Imperial Custom House at the Pass,

0.75 ANOTHER interesting specimen of humanity. the genus smuggler, named Hok Man King 1.00 | eyed the Magistrate through the rails of the dock in our local Police Court this morning. Inspector Stanton charged 'him with being actively concerned in the piratical attack on the British steamer Namoa on the 10th instant. No evidence was taken, and the case was formally remanded by Mr. Wise until Tuesday, the 23th

> Tin John Pender, the "Cable King," has, says the Kobe Hearld, arranged to pay a visit the Pacific side of the world next year, and he has already apprised Sandford Fleming, the Australian Canadian cable enthusiast, that he will then be prepared to discuss the feasibility. of establishing cablegraphic communication between Vancouver and the Antipodes. This is what we strongly advocated in a special article entitled "The obnoxious Telegraph Convertion" some four months ago.

> WE learn that there is a good deal of truth in the rumour of an intention on the part of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha to extend their lines of steamers to the southward of Hongkong. One route is said to be from Yokohama to Manila and Sourabays, via Shanghai, Amoy and Hongkong. It does not appear that any very definite decision has yet been arrived at by the Board of Directors in Tokio, but the presence of a fine

Singapore on the 27th ultimo. Canied fine weather to Labuan, and thence had strong N.E. taken throughout the paisage. An ab'escaman, named John Heathman, died during the voyage from Manila to Hongkong."

In the province of Perm, in Russia, there has THE first responsible Ministry in Western just passed away a remarkable person, Stefen Australia is to be appointed towards the end of Aberjew by name, in his one hundred and tenth | the prosecution. year. The village priest, who has known the old man for the last thirty years, states that he had never seen him sober since his eightieth birthday. Toward the end of his life he drank over a quart of corn brandy a day. He was never ill in his life. How's that for high ye G.T's?

> DION Boucicault's last literary work was a novel entitled, "Two Men's Bilde," written in collaboration with the feminine celebrity, Clara Belle. At the time of his death it had been put into plates and an edition printed ready to be put into the market. Boucicault told a friend only a few days ago that in the division of labor on "Two Men's Bride " alternate chapters had been assigned to the co-authors, each writting half the book. He regarded the plot as valuable for stage purposes, too, and he contemplated a dramatization of it for production at the Boston Museum.

IT is seldom that a Hongkong audience has the opportunity of seeing an actors of the calibre of Signor Majeroni, but to their credit be it said-it the size and enthusiasm of last night's audience can be taken as a criterion—they are ready to acknowledge and support genuine talent when it does come along. "The Old Corporal " is not a play that would ever become popular in Hongkong, in fact, take the chief actor away and the house would be empty; in half an hour-the transition from the sublime to the ridiculous so" easy. However, the character as portrayed by Signor Majeroni was so true to life, so full of genuine feeling and so wonderfully real, that he fairly carried the audience along with him. His performance was. without doubt, the finest exhibition of dramatic art ever seen on the Hongkong stage. Arrangements have been made to repeat the piece on Tuesday evening next and we strongly advise all who missed last hight's performance not to fail to put in an appearance to see this accomplished actor in one of his best characters.

Thus an exchange :- A pathetic homily on the evils of gambling was fished out of the Yarra the other morning, and laid down to drip on the bank. It consisted of the customary corpse, and in the pockets there were sixteen bookmaker's tickets showing that the remains had plunged ils worldly substance on sixteen spavined crocks, every one of whom had lost. There wasn't a solitary winner among the lot, and the only assets which hadn't been scooped by the placed Moses who lays the odds, were a bunch of keys, a knife, and a plug of tobacce. As the cadaver was in a seriously decayed state it is presumed that he had hopped this earthly twig about the last night of the carnival, so that for ten long days he had floated about along with the snag, and the deceased pussy-cat, and other bric-a-brac, while the combined effluvia of six dyc-works, nine tanneries, two fellmongering establishments, one bone-boiling emporium, three tallow-rendering factories, a slaughterhouse and a gasometer had breathed above his last maledorous restling-place. There was no burial service worth mentioning, and no tomb stone, and as for a requiem the only thing that line was the wild howl and shrick of the first mate of some passing mud-punt. when his vessel struck on a lump of coal that wasn't marked on the chart and went down head first into the great deep, and the captain and the cook were deposited in a watery grave. Further, nobodyidentified the wreckage of the deceased brother, and nobody wanted to, and nobody cared a curse; and a plain, brief entry was made in the register that a person, name unknown, had perished from something obscure and complicated in a loreign tongue, which was a hollow lie and not calculated to impose upon anybody. "Died through swallowing dirty water brought on by backing the wrong home" would probably have fitted the case,

A GOOD deal of anxiety was felt in Yokohama recently relative to the long overdue Canadian Pacific liner Stratts of Belle Isle, which took 33 days to do the run from Vancouver to Japan. Japanese contemporary notes the Belle Is'e! arrival thus :- The C. P. chartered steamer Straits of Belle Isle arrived this morning (Bth) from Vancouver, thirty-three days out ! The chartered ships of this company seem to be troubled with "slows," and the sooner the new is reported to be engaged to the daughter of a "Empresses" take up the route the better. S.A. sporting celebrity-almost a millionaire. The very protracted passage, however, of the The lady is a well-known Adelaide beauty and Straits of Belle Islie had given rise to consideronly just out of her teens. At this rate Eng. able apprehensions, as it was not thought posland's nobility will soon be offering premiums sible she could have been out so longualess she had broken down. In fact, so serlous did matters seem, especially when the Parthia. which started sixteen days after her, arrived vesterday without having sighted her, that Capt. Craigle, of H.M.S. Hyacinth, had already taken the preparatory steps to send a man-of-war out to look after and succor her. Happily her arrival has rendered this unnecessary .- "Preparatory steps to succour her ! " That's a very neat phrase and one which our local naval authorities should note. The following are extracts from the log of the Straits of Bella Isle-Left Nanaimo at 12.15 a.m. on the 4th November: experienced strong westerly gales right across. On the 23rd passed through fierce typhoon; vessel "hove to" for 36 hours lowest barometer reading 28.69. On the 30th a heavy W.N.W. gale; vessel "hove to" for 12 hours. It will be observed that the vessel has proved herself a thoroughly good "sea-boat from a nautical point of view, having weathered a serce typhoon and several terrific gales. Captain Grigs may be congratulated on having brought his deeply leaded ship safely through so much tempestuous weather. It is hid enough for a ship in "light trim" when she gets into a typhoon, much less for a steamer loaded square down to "Plimsoll mark," as most of the Canadian Pacific steamers are now-a-days owing to the superabundance of cargo which is offered by this now favourite-line.

SUPREME COURT

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS

(Before Sir James Russell, Chief Justice.)

PETTY LARCENY. At the adjourned Criminal Sessions this morning Fung Ayin was indicted with the larceny of five pieces of clothing the property of Chun Awong, a tailor of Jervois Street. Mr. Leach appeared on behalf of the Attorney-General, The following jury was sworm - Messrs. F.

Carmichael, C. Grant, H. E. Denson and S. a journeyman tailor, took away five pieces of for about a quarter of a mile but the Thistle

W. Herman, E. A. Ozarlo, H. H. Blake, H.

THE British Surveying Ship Egeria, Captain | the same month, the prisoner sent him five pawn A. M. Field, which arrived in port this morning | tickets together with a note wherein it was stated from Singapore, reports as follows:-" Left | that the clothes could be redeemed at leisure." He at once redeemed them and they were identicle with the articles taken away, to make trades to Manila. Deep sea soundings were up, by the prisoner. The reason why he did not bring a charge against the prisoner before was because the man left the colony, and it was not until the middle of last month that he discovered he had returned here.

A pawn-broker and some constables were called in evidence which supported the case for

The jury unanimously found the prisoner gnilty and he was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour,

YOUND GUILTY OF ARSON.

Kum Kwan was indicted with wilfully and maliciously setting fire to the staircase in No. 26 Bridge Street, Taipingshan, on the 18th instant. In orening the case Mr. Leach said that the prismer's paramour, a woman of ill-fame, lived at 36 Bridge Street. He went there on the night in question and finding another man in the woman's quarters, created a disturbance and used very threatening language. After a while he left the premises but returned during the night and deliberately set fire to the stalicase with kerosene oil. The intent of the prisoner would be obvious to the jury if they considered him guilty.

A Chol, the woman in question, two of the inmates of the house and detective Kum Fat correborated.

A unanimous verdict of guilty was returned His lordship said he would reserve judgment and that the Sessions would stand adjourned

VICTORIA REGATTA.

until Tuesday, the 23rd instant.

FIRST DAY, -THURSDAY, 18TH DECEMBER.

The thirty-fifth Regatta of the Victoria Recreation Club was commerced yesterday at noon, the course being, as usual, from Yau-ma-ti to a flag-ship moored almost directly opposite the Kowloon Police Station. The Marina was specially chartered for the occasion by the committee and suited admirably, affording ample accommodation for the crowd of visitors who were present. By the kind permission of Col. Chater and Officers the band of the A. and S Highlanders was present and added considerably to the general enjoyment of the outlog. The weather was anything but favorable during the early part of the day, the wind being tride high and the water rough and choppy, making things extremely uncomfortable fo those engaged in the sculling races. The programme was successfully carried through and the general arrangements left little room for fault-finding, excepting, perhaps, as regards the tiffin and attendance on board the flagship. The former was of the most meagre description--a "one-horsed" scramble in fact, reflecting any thing but credit on those responsible for dispensing the Club's hospitality.

The following gentlemen officiated and carried out their respective duties, most satisfactorily. Judges, rowing races :- Col. Chater, Mr. R. K. Leigh. Starter :- Mr. John Andrew. Umpire :-Mr. E. L. Woodin. Judge of Yacht Racing :-

Capt. J. C. Anderson. Judges of sailing boats ;-Capt. Burnie and Commander Festing, R.N. Appended will be found the results of yesterday's events :- "Junior Sculls Cup,"-Presented by the members of the Victoria Recreation Club, for single sculls; distance one mile, entrance, \$5, open to any member of the Victoria Recreation Club who has never won a sculling race

in China or Japan. H. Skött, 11st. 5lb., red and white W. H. Potts, rist tolb. white...... 2 Skott was the favorite at the start and having a decided advantage by drawing inside position ultimately drew away from Potts and won rather

easily by several lengths. Time 9 min. 5 secs. For HEAVY GIGS-open to European Non-Commissioned officers and men of any Regiment or Corps of the Garrison, or European members of the police force; the boats to be approved by the Committee ; distance, one mile: time allowed for oars, 8 seconds per oar four boats must start for two prize; entrance. \$1; first prize, \$15; second prize, \$5.

A. & S. Highlanders' Argyll...... A fourth boat put in an appearance but came too late to start. The Areyll and Louiss got off well together, the Engineers being slightly in the rear. The two former made a ding-dong race of it overhalf the course when the Arryll went into smoother water and gaining a lead of a couple of lengths from the Louise kept it to the end. The Engineers, who had fallen considerably behind, made a bold bid for first place but missed it by two lengths and beat the Louise by about the same distance after a hard fight. Time 7 mins, 27 secs.

'LADIES PURSE," presented by the Ladies of Hongkong; for four-oars, distance, one mile; entrance, \$10; to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club or boats similar in build to those belonging to the Victoria Recreation Club,

"Thistle,"-First. Station No. 3.—Black and White, Bow, H. P. Wadmanzost. 1lb No. 3, A. G. Stephenrst. 4lbs. Cox. G. A. Caldwell..... gst. olb. "Leek."—Second.

Station No. 4.—Admiral's Flag. Bow, P. V. Oliver 9st. 12lbs, No. 2 H, W. Metcalfe 10st. 5lbs. Stroke, J. D. Hickley 11st. 6lbs. Cox, H. Brocklebank..... gst. olb. "Victoria."-Third.

Station No. 1. - Scarlet and White. Bow, F. C. Dundasvost. 8lbs. No. 2. Captain Robinson zust. 3lbs. No. 3, F. L. Jackson 12st. 7lbs. Stroke, Captain Henderson 11st. 6lbs. Cox, R. de C. Boyd 9st. 3lbs. Station No. 2.- Dark-blue and White.

No. 3, T. E. Griffithrist. 10lbs. Cox, G. F. Watts 9st. 4lbs. The Leek was most fancied for this event but failed to realize the expectations of her backers. The Thistle was the first away, closely followed by the Leek and these two made a fine race of it up to the quarter mile buoy when the Thistle gained a slight advantage. The Victoria then

"collared" the Lisk and for a while they raced how and bow, but the latter after a good struggle, drew away and tackled the Thistis Chun Awong stated that the prisoner, who was | once more. These two raced well together steamer like the Mithe Maru la these latitudes | clothing from his shopen the 16th of January last. | proving the better boat got shead by threeis somewhat significant at the present moment, | Menever sturned them, but later on, on the 20th of quarters of a length and maintained it to the

end-about the same distance separating the Victoria frem the Leek. The Canton crew were never in the hunt. Time 7 mins, 3 sect ... "GERMAN CUP."-Presented by the German community; for four-oats; distance, one mile; entrance, \$10; to be rowed in beats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club.

"Leek."-First. Station No. 4 .- Yellow and Black. Bow, W.S. Taylor 9st. 11lbs. No. 2, L.C. Barff..... 1tst. 3lbs. No. 3, J. T. H. Sample 11st. 4lbs. Stroke, C. H. Thompson rost. 121bs. Cox, G. A. Caldwell 9st. olbs. "Shamrock."-Second.

Station No. 2 .- Red and White. Stroke, H. Skött......IIst. 5lbs. Cox, H. Sampson 95!. Izlbs. "Rose "-Third.

Station No. 5-White. Bow. D H. Mackintosh, to t. 611hs. No. 2, F. H. Walter, 9st. olb. No. 3, M. H. Cobbe, ros'. Albs. Stroke. W. H. Potte, st. 101bs. Cox, R. de C. Boyd, 9st. 3lbs. "Kornblume." Station No.1-Black and White.

Stroke. A. Duer 10st. 10lbs. Cox. W. Stopani 9st. 4lbs. Thistle." Station No. 3. -- Red and Black.

Bow, P. O. Oliver. 9st, 12lbs. No. z. H. Botel.....sost. olbs. No. 3. T. H. Dalby Ist. Ilb. Stroke, G. L. Duncan...... rost. 6lbs. Cox, M. Fredericks 9st. 10lbs.

This was the race of theday and all five boats got off splendidly together, but the Leek soon took a slight lead closely followed by the Thistle, the others well together. This order was maintained for a considerable distance when the Thistle challenged for the premie position but the Leak orestalled them and still maintained the lead. The Rose now came up with a wet sail and joined the Thistle and a really good race resulted. The Shamrock at last pulling on a splendid spurt passed both the Thistle and Rose and came right up to the Leak and a slight foul was supposed to have occurred. The Shamrock claimed the race, but the objection to the

Leek was not sustained and she was awarded the prize. Time 7 mins. 30 secs. TUB RACE," Cup presented by Members of the Victoria Recreation Club, open to Members of the Victoria Recreation Clu To be rowed in Tub Scalling Boats approved by the Committee, the property of the Victoria Recreation Club. Distance, One Mile. Entrance, \$5.

L. Jackson, 12st. 71b....... Captain Henderson, 11st 61b..... Only two started, but the race was well contested throughout; and after a splendid finish Jackson won by about a quarter of a length. "ST. PATRICK'S CUP;" presented by J.

Francis, Esq.; for pair oars; each crew consist of two members of the same Mercantile hong; distance, one mile; entrance, \$5; to he rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club.

"Kathleen"-First Station No. 1.-Bank Flag. Bow, E. C. Fearon......12st. Cox, H. Brocklebank...... 8st. "Lily."-Second Station No. 4 .- Red and White.

Cox. M. Fredericks 9st. 10lbs. Station No. 3.—Blue and White, Bow, W. S. Taylor 9st. 11lbs.

Stoke, A. Duerzost. rolbs. Cox, W. Stopani..... gst. 4lbs. This was another good start, but after a short distance had been covered the Kathleen shewed ahead and it seemed before half the course had been rowed, that she was a moral certainty for the event, and really proved to, winning as she liked from the Lily with Eilies a fair third. Time 8 mins, A secs.

EXCHANGE CUP :" prejented by the exchange brokers of Hongkong; for pair oars; distance, one mile; entrance, \$1; to be rowed in boals the property of the Victoria Recreation Club, "Eileen."-First

Station No. 2,-Admiral's Flag. Cox, F. O. Lewis 9st. olb. "Kathleen."—Second. Station No. 1.—Starlet and White. Stroke, Captain Henderson Ist. 6lbs. Cox, R. de C. Boyd 9st. 3lbs,

Station No. 3-Red and White. Cox, W. Brocklebank..... This was a fine race from start to finish.

Mand had slightly the best of the start but was closely followed and ultimately passed both the Eileen and the Kathleen. The two latter now saced our for our and a fine struggle ensued which finally resulted in the Ellern getting the best of it and eventually won the race by a couple of lengths. Time, 8 mins. x8 secs.

FOR LIGHT GIGS: open to European Non-Commissioned officers and men' of any regiment or corps of the Parrion, or European ciews of any of H.M.'s versely; entrance, \$1 ; first prize, \$15; second prite, \$5; fime allowed for oars, 8 seconds per out | boats to he apy zove by the committee f distance, one mile.

Five boats started for this race and after a well contested finish the result was :-A. & S. Highlanders' Argyll Time, 7 min. 8 secs. CHAIRMAN's CUP," presented by T. Jackson,

Esq. Chairman of the Victoria Recreation

Club; for four-oars; distance, one-mile-a-half;

entrance, \$10. To be rowed in boats the

property of the Victoria Recreation Club. "Kornblume,"-First, Station No. 4.

Cox, W. Stopani 9st. 4lbs. "Rose,"-Second. Station No. 1.—White. 1843-1813 No. 2, L. C. Baiff, 11st. 3lbs. Con M. Fredericks 9st. 3lbs. Leck -Third.

Slation No. 3.-Red and White. Bow, W. S. Taylor. qst. 11lbs, No. 2, E. W. Lucas Jayrensienes Topt. 181bs. Cos, H. Sampson mulinging gate 12 bei

"Victoria."-Fourth. Station No. 2 .- Black and Red. Bow, H. W. Slade 11st. 11b. No. 2, R. H. Smythe......trst. tolhs. Cox G A. Callwell...... 9st. olb.

This event was also splendidly contested and was throughout a most interesting race. To a fair start, the Leak was the first aways but was quickly overhau'ed by the Kornbinme and finally by the Rose as well. As all four crews were rowing in fine form the result was at no time a certainty for the leading boat, but the Kornblume men managed to maintain what slight advantage they had gained early in the race and came in ahead of the Rose by about half a length. Time to mins. 54 secs. SAILING KACE-For all open boats.

There were five starters, namely, the Sailors' Home gig, Harbour Master's, steamer Riversdale's Tytam, Torpedo Depôt's Fiume, and the Commodore's Galley White Swan. The boats go! away to a good start at balf-bast one the Sailors' Home gig leading, with the Commodore's galley secondy and a very fine race ensued between these two to the first mark boat off Green Island, which they rounded almost together. The Fiume met with an accident and had to give up. The first mark boat was rounded as follows :--

Sailor's Home gig 50 00 Commodore's galley 50 05 Harbour Master's gig 51 00. Capt. Mooney's Tylant 52 00 Running across to Chung-hae on the windthe Sailors' Home gig increased its lead, the times of passing the second mark boat being :-

Sailors' Home's gig...... 2 05 00 Commodore's galley2 05 25 Harbour Master's gig2 07 00 Capt. Mooney's Tylam.....2 20 00 This boat rounded and the 'Commodore's galley

had it all herown way, working well up to wind-

ward and running away from the others, the winning mark being passed as follows :-Commodore's galley White Swan.3 0 40 Sailors' Home gig...... 3 15 00 Harbour Master's gig 3 15 30 The Tylam took a course inside Stonecutter's Island, and cam: in some time after the others.

There was a splendid wind for sailing, and the

ime mide in this race is better than for some

cars past. The yacht race was won by the Zephyr who. with her time allowance, best the Naomi by 7 mins. 46 secs. Owing to pressure on our space we are compelled to hold over the detailed report of to-day racing. It will, however, appear in our next issue.

> THE STRANDING OF THE "TORIO MARU."

The Fapan Herald of the 8th instant contains the following additional particulars of the loss the Topones' Yokohama-Shanghai liner Tokio Maru (Capt. Drummond), of which we published telegraphic information on the 16th inst. Our Yokohama contemporary says:-"That misfortunes never come singly has been proved by experience to be beyond dispute, but it is probable that in no case is it more accentuated than in regard to vessels. For years a steamship company will go along without accidents, and then two or three will occur in swift succession. The Nippon Yusen Kalsha is just now experiencing this. Only a few days ago we had to report that the Harima was ashore near Inabove, and before she has been extricated we regret to have to record a still more serious accident in the stranding of the Tokio Maru. This vestel was on her way from Hakodate to Yokohama, and on Friday night she went ashore in the bight between Mela ledge and Susaki. News reached the head office on Saturday, and the Kii maru, with lighters, &c., was sent to herassistance yesterday morning. She returned to-day, and Mr. Barrie. the Superintendent Engineer of the company, left again shortly after noon with pumps, &c. There are hopes, if the weather keeps calm, of yet getting her off, as she is lying on the sand, broadside on to the sea, and with a slight list to port. She is making water in both her engine room and after hold, but her fore compartment is clear, and if the swell should go down enough to enable the lighters to get alongside, it may yet be possible to lighten her and get her off. The accident is reported to have occurred from mistaking Mela Head for Susaki, and therefore hauling up too soon to the northward."

GLADSTONE AT HOME

William Ewart Gladstone will be eighty-one years old on the 20th of next December. A stranger observing him striding along Pall Mall on his way to the House of Commons, head erect and chest expanded, or hearing him thunder forth denunciations of Tory misgovernment from his seat in Parliament would probably set him down as a remarkably vigorous sexagendrian. Mr. Gladstone is in truth the youngest old man in the world. His eyes are full and singularly bright, his face clean shaven and wonderfully intellectual and his lips tender and tremulous like those of a high-spirited woman. He is tall, five feet ten inches, and ean. He has no hair on his face and little on his head, but his baldness is not very apparent when he wears a hat because there is a fair growth of silvery-grey locks around the base of the skull.

Mr. Gladstone owes his unique virility in great measure to the regularity, simplicity and purity of his private life. His time is about equally divided between London and Hawarden, his beau'i'ul estate in Flintshire. When in town he umally sites at 8:30 o'clock. Detesting lainess and abhorring slovenliness, he eschews dressing gowns or lounge coats and always dresses for the day as soon as he leaves his bed.

The morning meal is invariably shared by Mrs. Gladstone and visitors if there be any, which is rately the case in London. It is always of a plain character, usually consisting of fish, bread and butter and tes. Mr. Gladstone is very fond of fish of all kinds and drinks enough tea in the course of twenty-four house to satisfy half a dozen old maids. He frequently absorbs the contents of three or four journals, in the course of the half hour customarily devoted to breakfast.

After breakfast Mr. Gladstone invailably proceeds to the library, where he disposes of his mmense mass of correspondence which, he once informed a friend, aggregates 20,000 letters per year. Having gone through this arduous daily routine, the Grand Old Man devotes the remainder of the morning to the study of Dante and Homer or some others of his Latin and Grock authors, making marginal notes as he proceeds. Mr. Gladstone takes luncheon almost invariably alone, cating only a small slice of beef or mutton and drinking one glass of light claret,

The afternoon is devoted to social or political duties, but Mr. Gladstone always finds time to take a long walk by himself or a drive with bia wife. Occasionally be visits the theater or opera, and invariably at midnight, but never before, he takes his candle from the hall table I and lights himself to bed . He has himself

stated that he always leaves business outside his bedroom door, with the result that he inva-

riably sleeps well, Mr. Gladstone does not smoke and dislikes tobacco in every form. He has no need for stimulants, and scarcely ever drinks anything stronger than light claret, of which he does not profess to be a connoisseur. .. He has a profound contempt for smart attire and a profound dislike for new clothes. In town in winter he wears'a tall black hat and black clothes, which include a queer-looking short overcoat with long cape fastened on. The cape, which is absurdly disproportionate in length to the coat, generally opens out as the wenter walks along the street and assumes the appearance of great substantial wings. In summer Mr. Gladstone dons a tall white hat and wears light clothing, usually of gray cashmere.

Mr. Gladstone is not a rich man. His income does not exceed seven thousand pounds a year, and the demands made upon the purse of a man in his position are enormous.

When desiding at Hawarden Castle, a week never passes in which he does not spend at least a few hours in the open air trying the edge of his famous axe upon the big trees. But the great solace of his old age is-reading, and the hobby to which he is most passionately devoted is the collection of old and zare books.

After attending Stanley's wedding in Westminister Abbey last summer he escaped from the gay crowd and made his way eastward entirely alone to Southampton Row, where he overhauled the stock of a book-seller with whom he frequently has dealings. Upon that occasion he bought "The Life of Thomas Reynolds," in two volumes; "The Morning of VICTORIA, CHAPTER, Life," a Catholic religious book; "Ireland Before and After the Union," by R. B. Martin; "The Rise and Progress of Religious Opinion in Ireland," by Mrs. Thompson; "Lord Holland's Reminiscenses;" " Manchester College Lectures," containing an address by Cardinal Newman on classicall literatures also "Byron's Letters" and the "Lent Lectures," "The Laws of Honor," an account of the suppression of duels in France, "Le Bouddon," by Saint Hilaire; "The French Librarian, or Literary Guide," by Ventonillac; "English Synonyms and a Greek work.

Mr. Gladstone always has his purchases rebound, holding that any book worth reading is worthy of a good cover.

. Having moved among the great ones of the earth for upwards of half-a century Mr. Gladstone is necessarily well versed in the courtier's at to A.M. arts, but he thoroughly distikes them, and when in office practices them as little as his position as Prime Minister will permit.

. Mr. Gladstone cannot or will not talk down to the level of the average Prince, and in the presence of the Queen he bears himself with an air of proud humility and manly deference which is sometimes embarrassing and not infrequently annoying to his royal mistress. It is not to be wondered at, therefore, that the great Liberal statesman is not a favorite at court and that he is rarely invited there.

During the session Mr. Gladstone is very regular in his attendance at the House. One of his peculiarities is his dislike of the Inner Lobby, which is always crowded with newspaper men, ex-members of Parliament and a few others who enjoy the precious privilege of being on the Speaker's list,

When not actually engaged in debate but sitting as an interested listener, Mr. Gladstone has hard work to suppress his natural inclination to jump up and join in the fray, and he has a curious habit of betraying his cagerness and impatience by grabbing his knees and clutching impressively at the air with his long muscular fingers. Every member knows when Mr. Gladstone is about to make an important speech. the event being heralded by Mrs. Gladstone's appearance in the lady's gallery, while the great man himself wears a flower in his coat and puts on the table before him, a little bottle full of a thickish yellow liquid, generally understood to be a kind of egg flip. It is made by Mrs. Gladstone from her own secret recipe, and it always has a wonderful restorative effect upon the orator.

Occasionally within the last few years symptoms of deterioration have been neticed in Mr. Gladstone's superb voice, but when last heard in the House it was very full, strong and musical.

Mr. Gladstone is richly blessed in his domestic relations. His wife has been his devoted helpmate for more than fifty years, and his bearing. toward her is still that of a devoted lover .- N. Y. World.

ONE WOMAN'S NERVES.

Looking backward to a certain lenely and unhappy time, a lady says :-

"I dragged on in this miscrable condition for years,

until I got tired of doctoring and taking stuff that did me no good. 'One physician sttended me for eighteen months, giving me but little relief. "I slept only in a broken fashion, and arose in the

morning very little the better for having gone to bed There was often severe pain in my head and over my eyes, and an almost constant sense of sickness. The skin gradually got dry and yellow, the region of the stomach and bowels felt cold and dead, and the natural energy and warmth appeared to be abbing out of me like the water out of a river at low tide. "In June, 1889, whilst living at Moredown, Bourne-

mouth, I had a worse attack than any I had before. -I was taken with a feeling of cramp, as if: pins and needles were running into me, all over my body. I could not move, and had to lie helpless in bed. The doctor was sent for, and attended me every day, but did not seem to knew what to make of my case. 'In aset, he was puzzled, and finally said, "I don't really know what your complaint is."

"I trembled and shook and felt as if I should fall to pieces. I was first hot and then cold, and so dreadfully nervous I could not bear any one in the room with me, and yet I did not wish them far away, in case I should call out for help. Every time one of these spasme came on I said to myself, 'I am sure I shall never get up again."

"I took nothing but liquid food, and yet could not retain even that on my stomach. By this time I was nothing but skin and bone. My legs 'went, clammy, as if I had no blood left in me. My memory completely failed. I never expected to recover, and that was the opinion of my friends. After they had called to see me they would go away saying, 'She will never get better. My head school so dreadfully I thought | Z E T L A N D I should lose my senses.

"I had given up all hope, when one day my friend Mrs. West, of Bournemouth, called and asked what I was taking. I said, 'Oh, I'm tired of taking things, it's no use; I shall die. Then she told me she was once ill much as I was, and was cured by Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup. 'Well,' I said, "Ill try it if you will send for it.' She did so, and I seemed to feel better on taking the flat dose, and after three days I was able to walk across the room, and by the end of the week I went down stairs. Now I am as well as ever. All my nerrousness has left me, and I can est and digest my food without feeling any distress. " I want to say finally, that I knew about Mother Beigel's Curative Syrup, and should have tried I

years before if certain acquaintances hadn't said. Oh, don't take it, for it wall do you no good. They said that because it was advertised, not because they knew for themselves. It was bad savies for me, and sout me years of terture. Brond what I have eath-

which is but part of my story—the people may infer what I think of this remedy. I thank God that I did resort to it at last before it was too late." (Signeil) Mrs. Jane Foster, Darracott Road, Pokesdown, Bournemouth, Hants. March, 1890.

It is only necessary to add that the malady from which Mrs. Foster suffered was indigestion, dyspepsia, and nervous prestration. Brought on originally by grief and shock at her husband's sudden and violent death, her system did not rally until Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup removed the torper of the digestive organs, and thus enriched the blood and fed the norves. It always has this effect in like cases. We can only regret that she foolishly procrastinated in the matter of using it. Her statement of facts may he relied upon, as the case has been thoroughly and impartially investigated .- [Adet.

BONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(Frem Moses, Goe, Falconer & Ca's Register.

Thermometer-1 p.m. Thermometer-4 p.m.

To-dan's Advertisements.

THE FIRST REGULAR MEETING of the District Grand Chapter of Hongkong and South China will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 19th instant, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. All Royal Arch Masons, Members of this Chapter, are cordially invited to attend.

FOR SHANGHAL THE Steamship

Hongkong, 19th December, 1890.

Captain Th. Lehmann, will be despatched for the above Port, on SUNDAY, the 21st instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 19th December, 1890.

DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship Captain Ashton, will be despatched for the

bove Ports, on SUNDAY, the 21st instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 19th December, 1890. STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

aptain P. Harris, will leave for the above lace about 24 hours after her arrival here with he outward English mails.

E. L. WOODIN; Superintendent, Hongkong, 19th December, 1890.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY, VIA JAVA. THE Company's Steamship

"MIIKE MARU," aptain Sommer, will be despatched for the bove Ports, on the 5th January, 1891. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., Hongkong, 19th December, 1890.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB. EMBERS of the Honokong Cricker IVI. CLUB wishing to play in a "PICK-UP," TO-MORROW will please be on the Ground punctually at 11.30 am.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 19th December, 1890.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY

LIMITED. NOTICE. I OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA

ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on SATURDAY the '3rd day of January next, at Noon precisely, for the purpose of passing a Special Resolution, that the Articles of Association of the Green Island Cement Company, Limited, be amended by adding at the end of Article 9th the words following :--

Any Share, in respect of which all the Iustal-"ments shall not have been paid on or "before the Six eenth day of January, 1891, "shall be forfeited, and any Shares so "forfeited shall be deemed to be the absolute property of the Company and may be re-allotted or otherwise disposed of as the "General Manager shall determine, and "any Member whose Shares shall have "been forfeited shall, notwithstanding such "forteiture, be liable to pay to the Company "all Instalments due in respect of such

"Shares at the time of forfeiture." And by inscring the figures 250 in the place of the figures 2,000 in Articles 41 and 42. And for the purpose of appointing a new General Manager or Managers,

C. EWENS, General Manager. Hongkong, 19th December, 1890.

Masonic.

NEMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW, 20th the Instant, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.

Hongkong, 13th December, 1890. [1701 HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COMPANY,

LIMITED, HE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to

the 31st inst., both days inclusive. r. W. CROSS, Hongheng, 13th December, 1880.

Intimations.

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Hongkong, 15th December, 1890.

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM-WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Sixth Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, TO-MORROW, the 20th December, at 11 O'CLOCK A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30th November, 1893.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to 20th instant, both days inclusive.

MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 6th December, 1800.

BOXING AT THE VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

T.T is intended to bold COMPETITIONS in Light & Heavy weight Boxing, Fencing, and Gymnastics, in the Gymnasium of the V.R.C., on MONDAY and TUESDAY EVENINGS, the 22nd and 23rd instants, commencing at

Owing to the limited space in the Gymnasium for spectators, the Committee request that members will not invite too many friends to be

.CHARLES H. THOMPSON, for the V.R.C. Gym, Sub, Com. Hongkong, 17th December, 1890. 1725 THE HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE undersigned is prepared to purchase FRACTIONAL CERTIFICATES at current market rates.' Persons holding same are requested to apply at the Company's Office No. 4, Praya Central. EDWARD OSBORNE,

Secretary. Hongkong, 2nd December, 1890.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

N accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with approval of the Consulting Committee, will on the ist January, 1891, issue Interest Warrants of \$5 per Share, payable at the Hongkong and Shanghal Banking Corporation, the same being at the rate of 10 per cent, per annum on the paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1890, and Notice is hereby given that in order that the same may be adjusted, the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Limited. Hongkong, 18th December, 1800

THE CHINA BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. T is hereby notified that the FIRST CALL of Five Dollars (5) per Share on Shares in the above Company is payable to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on or before MONDAY, the 19th January, 1891. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum

will be charged on all calls overdue." GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, 16th December, 1890.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. N account of a Match between the 1st A. &

S. HIGHLANDERS and the RIFLE ASSOCIATION, there will be no Cup Competition TO-MORROW, the 20th inst. The match will commence at 2 p.m. C. VIVIAN LADDS,

Hon, Secretary,

Hongkong, 15th December, 1800. THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS." THE Fourth Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Offices, on

MONDAY, the 20th instant, at 4 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Directors Reports and Statement of Accounts for the year ended October avst, 1897. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 29th inst., both days inclusive,

W. H. WALKER, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong, 15th December, 1800

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WALTER W. BREWER, Sole Agent, for Hongkong and the Southern ports. Hongkong, 19th November, 1890. NOTICE.

RIFFITH'S PHOTOGRAPHIC ROOMS I, Ice House Road are suitably lighted to produce all styles of Portraiture in any weather, CABINETS from \$6 a dozen. CARTES DE VISITE from \$3 a dozen.

IVORY MINIATURES, &c., &c. NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG and the Coast Ports are always ready. Hangkong, 24th September, 1890.

Intimations.

A. G. GORDON & CO., LIMITED.

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STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED Hongkong, 1st N'ay, 1885 ...

NOTICE.

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon heir arrival in this HARBOUR a me of the COMPANY'S FOREMEN should be at hand, ORDERS FOR REPAIRS, if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, 'No. 14, Praya Central, will receive

prompt attention. In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary.

W. S. MARTEN

Hongkong, 25th August, 1885.

ARTISTIC DECORATOR,

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Hongkong, 6th April, 1800. HONGKONG TIMBER

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m'red letters. Supplies constantly on hand at the China Export, Import, and Bank Co.-Sole Agents for China. Beware of spurious imitations ! Honekong, 20th Mir, 1889.

NOTICE.

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ANTISEPTIC PAINT. THE Undersigned have this day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the sale of these PERFECT DISINFECTANTS, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit purchasers, at Wholesale Prices. Extra Special terms for Shipping and large Orders. Sir ROBERT RAWLINSON, C.B., C.E., Chief Sanitary Engineer, Local Government Board,

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Hongkong, roth June, vana, CAUTION TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.

DAHTJEN'S ANTI-FOULING COM-Other makes than our original 'Manufacture are now being sold The genuine and only Composition connected with Mr. RAHTJEN himself is HARTMANN'S

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Hongkong, 20th January, 1800. J. & R. HARVEY & Co., DUNDASHILL DISTILLERY, GLASGOW. Established 1770.

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Intimations.

NOTICE.

SPECIAL SESSION of Her Majesty's Justices of the Pence will be held in the Justices' Room, at the Magistracy, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon of MONDAY, the 22nd lay of December A.D. 1890, for the purpose of considering an application from ISRAEL WEINBERG, for permission to temporarily transfer the business as a licensed publican, now carried on by him in house No. 200, Queen's Road Central, under the-sign of The Rose, Shamrock and Thistle Hotel, to his son MAYER WEINBERG.

H. E. WODEHOUSE, Police Magistrate.

Magistracy Hongkong, 15th December, 1890. CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION,

No. 35. ON THURSDAY next; the 25th inst., being CHRISTMAS DAY, and on THURS-DAY, the 1st January, 1891, being NEW YEAR'S DAY, this Office and the Opium

transaction of all business; but work at the Customs' Stations will proceed as usual, J. McLEAVY BROWN. Commissioner of Customs

for Kowloon & District, Custom House, Kowloon, 18th December, 1890.

Examination Hulk will be CLOSED to the

NOTICE OF 5TH AND FINAL CALL.

LABUK PLANTING Co., LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that the 5th and FINAL CALL of \$15 per Share, on the 4,000 Shares, numbered 1001/5000 is payable to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on or before the 15th January, 1891, and Calls not paid on said date are liable to pay Interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum.

The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 15th January, 1891, both days inclusive. TURNER & Co., General Managers.

> HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. RACE MEETING, 1891.

Hongkong, 13th December, 1890.

HONGKONG DERBY. CWEEPSTAKES of \$20 each, half forfeit if declared on or before day of closing Entries, with \$100 added for 1st Pony, and \$50 for and. For all China Ponies bona fide Griffins at date of Entry (SATURDAY, 17th January, 1891). First Pony, 70 per cent; Second, 20 per cent; Third, 10 per cent. Weight 10st. 10lbs. Onemile-and-a-balf. (Nominations close to the Clerk of the Course at the Club on Saturday, the 27th December, 1890.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH. Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 21st November, 1890.

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Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-Cent

CHURCH TRAM at 10.40 A.M.

Coupons and Reduced Tickets at the Office. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 21st October, 1800.

NOTICE. THOMAS KERR & CO.

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Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, 250 per cent, -premlum, buyers. Hongkong and Shanghal Bank, New Issue-\$270 per share, buyers. Union Insurance Society of Canton—263 per China Traders' Insurance Company-\$64 per

share, buyers. North China Insurance-Tis, 340 per share, Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$118 per share, buyers.

Vangtsze Insurance Association-Tla. 70 pcr share, buyers. On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tis. 150 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company -\$335 per

share, buyers. China Fire Insurance Company-\$87 per share, Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company-\$84 per cent, premium, buyers. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. -\$36} per share, buyers,

China and Manila Steam Ship Company-130 per share, sellers. Hongkong Gas Company-\$135 per share, sellers. Honekon Hot Company-\$170 per share Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-cont. Debentures

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company Limited-25 per cent. discount, sellers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$48 per share, China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$17 per share, buyers.

Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$96 per share, buyers. Hongkong Tee Company-\$95 per share Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited

-\$80 per share. -Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$10 per share, sollers. S. Watson & Co., Limited-\$223 per share,

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-21 per cent. premium, sellers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent premium, buscis. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E-11 per cent.

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited-\$130 per share, sellers. The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Ld.-\$25 per share nominal. Punjom and Sunghle Dus Samantan Mining Co.

-\$21 per share, sellers. The Raub Gold Mining Co., Ld. -\$1.25 pershare, Imuria Mining Co., Ld.-110; per share, sellers. The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited-\$11

per share, sellers. Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company-\$82 per share, buyers. Tonquin Coal Mining Co .- \$500 per share,

The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited- \$85 per share, sales. The East Borneo Planting Co., Limited-\$12 per share, buyers. H. G. Brown & Co., Ld.-\$61 per share, sellers.

The Songel Koyah Planting Co., Ld.-\$11 per. share, buyers. Cruickshank & Co., I.d. -\$40 per share, nom. The Steam Launch Co. Limited-nominal. The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Co., Ld.

--- ço per cent, dis., sellers. The China-Borneo Co., Ld.-\$8 per share, The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Ld .-\$48 per share, sellers.

The Green Island Cement Co .- \$20 per share, The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Ld. -\$91

per share, buyers. The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Ld.-\$72 per share, sellers. Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited -\$22 per share,

The West Point Buildings Co., Ld.-\$30 per The Peak Hotel and Triding Co., Ld.-\$20 per

The Lamag Planting Co., Ld. -\$9 per share, The Jelebu Mining and Trading Co. Ld.-\$2

per share, sellers. The Selama Tin Mining Co., Ld.-\$1.70 per share, sellers

The Shameen Hotel Co., Ld. -nominal. The Kowloon Land Investment 'Co, Ld. -\$15 per share, sellers. The Trust and Loan Co, of China and Japan. -

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MAILS EXPECTED

THE EXCLISIN MAIL

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Pekin with the outward English mail, left Singapore on the 17th instant at 5.30 p.m., and may be expected, here on the sand. THE AVERICAN MAIL.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Rio de Fanelre, left San Frincisco for this port wis Honolulu and Yokohama on the 29th ultimo. THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL;

The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Airlie, lef Port Darwin on the 17th instant, and may be expected here on the 17th.

THE CANADIAN MAIL The Canadian Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer Parthia, with the Canadian mall, from Vancouver, left Yokohama on the 9th Instant for

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Hongkong.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Verena, left Nagasaki on the 18th instant at 5 p.m., and is due here on the 221d The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Venetie, left

Bombay for this pert on the. 6th instant, and is expected here on theards The Navigazione Generale Italiana steamer Bormida, from Bombay, left Singapore on the morning of the 18th instant, and is due here on

The P. & O. S. H. Co.'s steamer Thibes, left Bombay on the 16th instant at now, and is due lete on he and problem 177 W. E. A.

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Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

AJAX, British steamer, 1,500 E. Rawlings, 18th Dec .- Liverprol 1st Nov. and Singapore 11th Dec., General.-Butterfield & Swire. TSININ, British steamer, 2,460, W. N. Allison, 18th, -Sydney 24th Nov., General. -- Butter-

PARTHIA, British steamer, 2,035, John Panton, 18th Dec -- Vancouver, B.C., 20th Nov., Yokohama 10th Dec., Kobe 12th, and Nagazaki 15th, Flour and General:-Adamtorr, Bell & Co.

COSHOPOLIT, German str., 551, J. Schall, 18th Dec .. - Swatow 17th Dec., General. - Wieler HAITAN, British steamer, 1,183, S. Ashton, 19th

December.-Swatow 18th Dec., General.-D. Lapraik & Co. AVOCHIE, British steamer, 1,053. T. Rowin 19th Dec.,-Kutchinotzu 14th Dec., Coals. -A. G. Morris.

EGERIA, British surveying-vessel, 740, Captain Arthur M. Field, 19th Dec., -Singapore 27th November. CHAS. G. WILSON, American schooner, 56. J. N.

Melander, 19th Dec., -Yap (Caroline Island) oth Dec., General.-Captain

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Achilles, British steamer, for Singapore. Mennon, British steamer, for Kudat, &c. Clara, German steamer, for Nagasaki. Diamante, British steamer, for Manila, Oceanic, British steamer, for Yokohama, &. Afer, British steamer, for Yokohama.

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The Labuk Planting Co., Ld .- \$30 per share, December 19, Foklen, British str., for Swatow, December 19, Sydney, French str., for Shanghai. December 19, Oceante, British str., for Yoko-

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PASSENGERS_ARRIVED. Per Parthia, sir., from Vancouver, B.C., &c. -Mrs. Rennie, Mr. Dennys, and 324 Chinese. Per Ajax, str., from Liverpool and Singapore. -Messrs. Roache, Thompson, and 215 Chinese. Per Tsinan, str., from Sydney .- Mr. and Mrs. Spicer, Messrs. Wood, Sween, Ito, 14 Japanese and Al Chinese.

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Halm, Ronget, and Noirtin, Per Oceanic, str., for Yokohama,-Mr. and Mrs. Austin, a Europeans and 1 Japanese, For Honolulu,-Mr. Chang Mow Hung. For San Francisco.—1 European. For London.—Messre. Wm. Graham and J. G. Skipton. For Liverpool. -Mr. F. O. Osborne.

The British steamship Tsinan reports that she had fine weather throughout, and moderate

The British steamship Ajax reports that she had monsoons strong to the south, and more moderate north of Paracels, and fine weather, The British steamship Parthia reports that she was delayed by fog in Inland Sea. Had light variable winds and fine weather throughout. The Britishisteamship Haitan reports that she had fresh to moderate easterly winds and overcast weather. In Swatow the steamship

Halphone was in port. The British steamship Avochie reports that she had strong north-west gale and high sea. On the 15th had moderate north-east winds and evercast sky to Hongkongs

Office.

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SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.

AMOY, German steamer, 814, Th. Lehmann, 11th Dec.-Wuhu 6th December, and Woosung 8th, Rice. - Slemmen & Co. BENLOMOND, British steamer, 1,752, A. W. S. Thomson, 16th Dec., -- Kobe, and Moil 11th Dec, Coal and General,-Gibb, Livingston

BRINDISI, British steamer, 2,129, E. Street, 18th Dec.,-Landon 1st Nov., and Singapore 12th Dec., General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. CHANGSHA, British steamer, 1,346, J. E. Williams, 18th Dec.,-Sydney 27th Nov., Townsville and Dec., Cooktown 3rd, and Thursday Island 6th, Coals, &c .- Butter, field & Swire.

CLARA; German steamer, 674, Christensen, 13th Dec .- Halphong roth December, General. -A. R. Marty. FAME, British steamer, 117, J. H. St. John .--Tongkong Government tender.

FIDELIO, German steamer, 852, H. Brorsen, 16th Dec .- Saigon 10th Dec., General -- Melchers & Co. IPHONG, French steamer, 845. M. Bourquet, 17th Dec.,-Halphong 15 Dec., General .-

Messageries Maritimes. Hornow, British steamer, 806, Sloss, 18th Dec., -Wuhu 12th Dec. Rice.-Butterfield &

oth, General,-Yuen Fat Hong. KUMAMOTO MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,240, R. Pender, 7th Dec., Kutchinotzu 2nd Dec., Coals.-Geo. R. Stevens & Co.

LORD B 'NOOR, British steamer, 1,911, H. Magill, ard Nov.,-Karatsu 28th October, Coals .-Captain. MENMUIR, British steamer, 1,287, H. Cralg, 15th Dec,-Sydney 20th Nov., Brisbane 22nd,

Townsville 25th, Cooktown 26th, Thursday Island 28th, Port Darwin 5th Dec., General. -Russell & Co. IEMNON, British steamer, 800, A. Dorff, 17th Dec. - Sandakan 11th Dec. Timber .-

Butterfield & Swire. MEREO, German steamer, 636, W. Petersen, 16th Dec.,-Saigon 10th December, Rice.-Ed. Schellhass & Co.

MOGUL, British steamer, 1,827, J. Johnston, 11th Dec.,-Karatsu 7th Dec., Coal.-Adamson, Bell & Co. NANCHANGE British steamer, 1,062, Morgan, 17th Dec.,-Wuhu 12th Dec., Rice.-Butterfield & Swire.

Nr RDEN, Norwegian steamer, 1,358. C. Nielsen, 18th Dec.,-Ku'chino'zu 18th Dec, Coal,-Mitsui Bussan Kaishia. PALAMED, British steamer, 1,489, C. Jackson, 15th Dec.,-Shanghai 12th Dec., Rice and

General.-Butterfield& Swire. PEMBROKESHIRE, British steamer, 1,716, Dancaster, 17th Nov.,-Singapore 7th Nov., General.-Adamson, Bell & Co. PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,012, A. Benson; 26th Nov.,-Bangkok

18th Nov., and Aughing 19th, Rice and General.-Yuen Fat Hong. Picciola, German steamer, B75. Th. Nissen, 24th Nov., - Bangkok 14th November, Rice. -Melchers & Co.

PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani-Honokong and Whampon Dock Co. RIVERSDALE, British steamer, 1,311, James Mooney, 27th Nov.,-Salgon 22nd Nov., Rice and Paddy.-Adamson, Bell.& Co. SOMDETCH PHRA NANG, British steamer, 1,057,

J. A. Morris, 18th Dec., -- Bangkok oth Dec. and Anghue 11th, Rice and Teakwood.-Yuen Fat Hong. TEHERAN, British steamer, 1,681, C. Sams, 16th Dec.-Bombay 27th Nov.; and Singapore oth Dec., General,-P. & O. S. N. Co. THANCE AV, Chinese steamer, 350, Wong Ling

Sing, 11th Dec,-Halphong 17th Dec., Ballast.-Chinese. THALES, British steamer, 820, Hunter, 3rd December,-Taiwanioo 29th Nov., Amoy 1st December, and Swatow and, General .-D. Lapraik & Co.

TONGSHAN, British steamer, 1,111, Jan. Young, 24th Nov.,-Singapore 7th November, and Bangkok 17th, Rice and Timber.-Kin Tye

WINGSANG, British steamer, 1,517, A. de St. Croix, 15th Dec. -Calcutta 29th Nov., and Penang 5th December, and Singapore 8th, General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

SAILING VESSELS.

ARCHOS, British barque, 468, C. Hansen, 9th Dec. - Amoy 6th December, Beans .-Captain. BASUTO, British bark, 362, Petersen, roth Dec,-Amoy 8th Dec., Beans and General.

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Cain, 1st Sept, -Wah Hin 13th August, Timber and Sapanwood. - Captain. COLUMBUS, German bark, 1,428, L. Haesloop, 11th Dec.,-Cardiff 29th July, Coal.-Mel-· chers & Co. ·

DONA BORTOLA, American schooner, 60, Blechart, 7th Dec,-Yap 10th September, General .- Siemssen & Co. DON JUSTO, American bark, 746, B. Nellson, 30th Nov.,-Amoy 26th Nov., Ballast.-

Russell & Co. LIMHURST, British ship, 1,712, John Mackenzie, and Dec .- Cardiff 23rd July, Coul .- Adam. son, Bell & Co. JAPAN, Peruvian bark, 398, M. Janila, 17th

Nov.;-Callao (Peru) 30th August, General, -Gonsalves & Co. JOHN BAYLEY, American bark, 700, F. P. Shephers, 15th Dec. - Newchwang and Cheloo, 5th Dec., Beans .- Muter,

KAMBRILA, British ship, 1.952. J. J. Bowell, 27th October, - Singapore 11th Oct., Timber. -K. Wilson, British brig, 280, C. Boysen, 10th Dec.,-Amoy 8th December, General.-

LOTHAIR, British bark, 793. Thos. G. Grans, 2nd Dec ... Chefoo 22nd Nov., Genera'. - Gibb, Livingston & Co. Lucia, British barque, 640, B. Luidholm, 14th

Dec. - Amoy 12th Dec., Beant - Chinese, HAORN, German bark, 503, O. Busch, 6th Dec., Amoy 4th December, General. NANDINO, British steamer, 397, Otter, 10th Dec. Newchwang and Amoy, 8th Dec.

Beans .- Jardine, Matheson & Co. SANTA CRUZ, British schooner, 920, D. O'Keefe, 20th Nov.,-Pellew Islands 11th Nov., General.-Wieler & Co. SARA MERSEDES, Peruvian schooner, 245, A

Muniatgin, 4th July, Saigon 27th June, Rica.—Captain. SEA WITCH, American ship, 1,288, Chas Zibbels, 30th October, New York 24th May, Kerosene Oll.-Adamson, Bell & Co. ST. NICHOLAS, American ship, 1,723, T. Carver

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TA HONGKONG, Simeso ship, 614, N. Steinbring, 6th Dec.,-Bangkok 21st General .- Chinese. VELOCITY, British bark, 491, R. Martin, 25th Nov.,-- Honolulu and October, General,-

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